

In the claims:

Presented below are the claims, as amended, with changes entered and not marked.

✓ *HE already cancelled*
Please cancel claims 5, 6, 17, 18 and 24 without prejudice.

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1. (Amended) A wallet for use with a personal information device, said
2 wallet comprising:

3 a first portion integrally including an exclusive input device for receiving
4 user-supplied input, wherein the exclusive input device is only for receiving the
5 user-supplied input, and the exclusive input device is integrated with the first
6 portion of the wallet, and

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7 a second portion rotatably coupled to said first portion, said second portion
8 to receive and detachably retain a personal information device in the form of a
9 PCMCIA card, said second portion including supply means electrically coupled to
10 said exclusive input device and being adapted to supply a signal representing said
11 user-supplied input to said information device.

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2. (Amended) The wallet of claim 1, wherein said exclusive input device is a
touch pad in the form of a keyboard.

1 3. The wallet of claim 1, wherein said supply means are electrical contacts
2 adapted to contact opposing surfaces on said personal information device when
3 retained by said wallet.

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1 The wallet of claim 1, wherein said supply means is an induction coil
2 adapted to communicate without electrical contact with said personal information
3 device when retained by said wallet.

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1 The wallet of claim 1, wherein said supply means is a PCMCIA port
2 adapted to be coupled to a PCMCIA I/O port of said personal information device
3 when said wallet receives said personal information device.

1 8. (Amended) The wallet of claim 1, wherein said first and second portions
2 represent first and second halves, respectively, and are adapted to be held in an
open position in which a display of said personal information device and said
exclusive input device of said wallet are both accessible to the user, and are
5 adapted to be folded together wherein respective faces of said first and second
6 halves face each other defining a closed position; and wherein neither said display
7 of said personal information device nor said exclusive input device of said wallet
8 is accessible to said user in said closed position.

1 9. The wallet of claim 1, wherein one of said first and second portions further
2 includes an I/O connector adapted to be coupled via a cable to an external device,
3 said I/O connector being electrically connected to said supply means and being
4 adapted to provide data supplied from said external device to said supply means,
5 and said supply means is adapted to supply said data supplied thereto including
6 data supplied from the external device to said personal information device.

1 10. The wallet of claim 9, wherein said external device is a computer.

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11. The wallet of claim 9, wherein said external device is another wallet
including mounted therein another personal information device so that
communication between two coupled personal information devices is possible.

12. (Amended) A wallet in combination with a personal information device,
the combination comprising:

a wallet first portion including an exclusive input device for receiving
user-supplied input, wherein the exclusive input device is only for receiving the
user-supplied input, and the exclusive input device is integrated with the wallet
first portion;

a wallet second portion rotatably coupled to said first portion, said wallet
second portion to receive and detachably retain a PCMCIA card, said wallet
second portion including output means for providing said user-supplied input as
an output;

a personal information device in the form of a PCMCIA card, said
personal information device detachably retained in said wallet second portion,
said personal information device including:

a display for displaying information to the user;

an input device for receiving additional user-supplied input, and

input means for receiving data from said output means of said wallet second
portion when said personal information device is retained in said wallet first
portion.

13. The combination of claim 12, wherein said output means of said wallet
second portion and said input means of said personal information device are

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opposing electrical contacts adapted to contact with each other when said personal information device is retained in said wallet.

14. The combination of claim 12, wherein said output means of said wallet second portion and said input means of said personal information device are induction coils adapted to provide communication between said wallet and said personal information device without electrical contact therebetween.

15. (Amended) The combination of claim 12, wherein said exclusive input device in said wallet first portion is a touch pad in the form of a keyboard.

16. The combination of claim 12, wherein one of said wallet first portion and wallet second portion further includes an I/O connector adapted to be coupled via a cable to an external device, said I/O connector being electrically connected to said output means of said wallet said portion and being adapted to provide data supplied from said external device to said output means, and said output means is adapted to supply said data supplied thereto including data supplied from the external device to said personal information device.

29. (Amended) A wallet for use with personal information device, said wallet comprising:

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a first portion including an integrated exclusive input device only for receiving user-supplied input; and

a second portion rotatably coupled to said first portion, said second portion being adapted to receive and detachably retain a personal information device in the form of a PCMCIA card, said second portion including an interface electrically coupled

to said exclusive input device and being adapted to communicate with said information device.

31. The wallet of claim 29, wherein said interface comprises electrical contacts adapted to contact opposing surfaces on said personal information device when retained by said wallet.

33. (Amended) The wallet of claim 29, wherein said exclusive input device is a touch-sensitive display device operable to display information to the user, and said interface is operable to receive from said personal information device control data, and said touch-sensitive display device provides a display to said user in accordance with said control data.

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35. The wallet of claim 29, wherein said interface comprises PCMCIA port adapted to be coupled to a PCMCIA I/O port of said personal information device when said wallet receives said personal information device.

36. (Amended) The wallet of claim 29, wherein said first and second portions represent first and second halves, respectively, and are adapted to be held in an open position in which a display of said personal information device and said exclusive input device of said wallet are both accessible to the user, and are adapted to be folded together wherein respective faces of said first and second halves face each other defining a closed position, and wherein neither said display of said personal information device nor said exclusive input device of said wallet is accessible to said user in said closed position.

37. The wallet of claim 29, wherein one of said first and second portions further includes an I/O connection adapted to be coupled via a cable to an external device, said I/O connection being electrically connected to said interface and being adapted to provide data supplied from said external device to said interface, and said interface is adapted to supply said data supplied thereto including data supplied from the external device to said personal information device.

38. The wallet of claim 37, wherein said external device is a computer.

39. The wallet of claim 37, wherein said external device is another wallet including mounted therein another personal information device so that the communication between two coupled personal information devices is possible.

40. (Amended) The wall of claim 29, wherein said interface is adapted to supply a signal representing said user-supplied input to said information device.